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CRIMINAL COURT OPENED MONDAY AFTERNOON

The regular June term of criminal court convened here Monday with Judge Joseph W. Bouton on the bench. A heavy list of cases were scheduled for trial, a number of important trials having been continued at the last term.

The cost of driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of anti-Volstead beverages in McKean county henceforth will cost $100 and six months in the county bastile.

That was the announcement made in court Tuesday afternoon by Judge Joseph W. Bouton in imposing that sentence upon William H. Bunke of Bradford who entered a plea of guilty. An appeal for leniency had been made in behalf of Bunke. The court took occasion to sermonize briefly, though forcefully, on the evils of being at the wheel while drunk and stated that he wanted the public in general to know that six months in jail and a fine would be the rest to all offenders whether or not any one is injured as the result of their driving. The sentence will be raised accordingly, the court said, in aggravated cases.

The action is believed to be the first step in a campaign against reckless driving being inaugurated throughout the county with the coming of warm weather and greater volumes of auto riding.

Monday was the first of the regular June term of criminal court and was marked by salty sentences on pleaders to violations of the liquor laws.

Charles Gibbs of Ludlow, arrested in raids in the McKean backwoods by county and state officers about two weeks ago, waived the finding of the grand jury and pleaded guilty to the manufacture and possession of intoxicating liquors and drew a fine of $1,000, the costs of prosecution and a six months term in the county bastile. A complete still, with all attachments and appurtenances, was found in Gibbs possession at the time of the raid and was exhibited in court. Gibbs refused to say where he had purchased the apparatus claiming he found it.

Charles Geraigo of Kane entered a guilty plea to similar charges and was sentenced to six months in the county jail, to pay costs of prosecution and a fine of $500.

Fred Ripley of Eldred pleaded guilty to operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. His sentence was six months and a fine of $100.

Peter Grennan, age 17, of James city, indicted of assault and battery with intent to ravish and an offense against morality pleaded guilty and was sentenced to serve one year in the county jail, to pay costs of prosecution and a fine of $5.

By agreement between parties in the case of Lawrence Alvita of Bradford charged with desertion and nonsupport, the court made an order that Alvita pay $11 a week to Probation Officer James A. Lindsey for the support of his wife.

Alfred Sanborn of Bradford was tried and found guilty of desertion and non-support. He was ordered to pay $8 a week to the probation officer for the support of his wife.

Because evidence showed that Mrs. Seely Acre of East Smethport, had violated her marriage vows since being abandoned by her husband 11 years ago, Mr. Acre, who was tried for desertion and non-support, was acquitted, the costs of prosecution being imposed on the county.

By agreement between parties the court made an order that F. C. Corbett pay $32 a month for the support of a minor daughter in another non-support case.

True bills for murder were returned by the grand jury against Tony and Fred Mussare of Olean, brothers, charged with the shooting of Joe Murphy in a gun battle on Bradford's Main street last November.

E. E. Howe of Red Rock was chosen foreman of the grand jury when court convened. After receiving instructions by Judge J. W. Bouton, presiding, the grand jury adjourned to its room and Tuesday night announced its findings.

True bills also were returned against Marvin Friedman of Bradford charged with violation of the liquor laws.

Because the star witness for the prosecution was his alleged five-year-old victim, Ruth Miller, whose qualifications as a witness was challenged by Attorneys Wilson & Fitzgibbon on account of her age, Harry Kendall of Bradford, indicted of assaulting the child, today escaped the consequences of his crime but was ordered to leave the county and, in the words of the court, to "leave it quick."

Kendall was arrested in Bradford last week on information made by

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BORO COUNCIL MEETS

At the meeting of the borough Council Monday evening C. W. Shattuck was appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Frank Sartwell.

A number of East Smethport residents were at the meeting to ask that the electricity be extended to East Smethport. Seth Norman boro electrician is getting a list of names of subscribers in East Smethport, if he can secure 20 the line will no doubt be extended as the sentiment toward it seemed favorable.

The salaries and expenditures for the month are: M. P. O'Brien, police salary $90; John J. Hallstrom, salary $90; T. H. Morrison, $12.50; Leo Herzog, care of the dam, 12.50; C. H. Biever, salary $30; Seth Norman, $62.50; Lou Freet, electrical work, $125; E. W. Workley, postals $30; R. C. Rice, tires, $76.25. Hallstram Bros. tools, $3.65; Service Garage, trucks supplies, $20.79.

The amount of electricity sold was 492.38; the amount paid the Keystone Power Company was $192.27.

PORT ALLEGANY RAIDS RESULT IN ARRESTS OF TWO; MOONSHINE TAKEN.

Raids on alleged speak-easies in Port Allegany last night resulted in the arrest of Edward Cabisca on charge of bootlegging and the location of a quantity of moonshine and the issuance of an order for the arrest of Louis Lamp whom officers expect to have behind bars early this morning.

Cabisca was arrested in his pool room, the back room of which was found all rigged up to resemble a saloon. Here three 1-gallon jugs and 17 one-half pint bottles of moonshine were found and confiscated besides four crates of one-half pint bottles and a quantity of whiskey glasses.

Lamy could not be located last night. At a butcher shop conducted by him the officers found one 3-gallon, one 2-gallon jug and a quart bottle of moonshine. Here also a back room had been remodeled into a 'serving room,' according to the raiding squad.

The greater portion of the stock of wet goods at the Lamp shop, however, was removed to a hiding place before the raid, it is believed. When the officers went to the shop with a search warrant, Lamp was not about. A man was stationed to watch the store and others went to Lamp's home to ask him to open the place. He was out and when the officers returned to the butcher shop, the discovered that the back door had been used to move the bootleg from the premises. The "movers" were interrupted by the return of the raiders, it is believed, and gave up the job.

The raiding squad was headed by County Detective J. J. Allison and was composed of State Troopers Camwell, Sanderson, Wolfskill, Broadhead and Corp. Novick.—Era June 7.

DEATH OF LITTLE CHILD.

Leo Edward, seven months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mansueto Cappelletti of 312 Coleman street, Olean, N. Y. died at his home Sunday at 2 o'clock June 3.

He is survived by his parents and six sisters: Mrs. Pete Maffie of Franklinville, N. Y., Jennie, Bessie, Teresa, Julia and Zita, of Olean, and three brothers: Charles, John and Anthony.

The funeral was held Tuesday morning at 9:00 o'clock in the St. Mary's of the Angels church. Burial was St. Bonaventure cemetery, Allegany.

Mr. and Mrs. Cappelletti were formerly of East Smethport, Pa.

FAIR DIRECTORS HELD MEETING MONDAY

A meeting of the McKean County Fair Association was held Monday, June 4th at H. J. Rices office. The following officers were elected: R. W. Hilton, president; S. H. Elder, Vice President; F. L. Holmes, treasurer, T. H. Hungiville, Concessions; W. H. Hungerford, Gen. Supt.; H. J. Rice, Secretary. J. C. Looker was elected director in the place of Ward Gunsheon, who recently moved to Rochester.

Ralph Yerdon was employed to solicit ads for the fair catalogue; F. L. Holmes and H. J. Rice were instructed to oversee the building of new bleachers and chicken pens.

The directors unanimously endorsed all the resolutions proposed at the meeting held two weeks ago. P. S. Crossman and H. J. Rice were appointed to put them in force.

R. W. Hilton will go to New York about the 15th to contract for the free acts. Great plans are being made for the biggest and best fair ever held in Smethport.

The Fair office will be opened as soon as the secretary can find a good looking and efficient stenographer. The secretary emphasizes "good lookins."

The dates of the Fair are Sept. 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th.

LIGHTNING TROOP SMETHPORT SCOUTS SPEND WEEK-END AT BORDELL

The younger troop of Boy Scouts, headed by Gene Engstrom of this place left Friday p.m. in automobiles for Bordell. Upon arriving there they shouldered their baggage and hike into the woods where they made a large camp fire and cooked their supper.

After supper they rolled up in their blankets and went to sleep. In the morning breakfast was cooked over an open fire and after clearing up, the boys spent their time in swimming and fishing in Cole Creek. Mr. Engstrom while fishing caught a trout nearly eighteen inches long.

Sunday morning automobiles from Smethport went to Bordell and brought the tired but happy scouts home.

THREE RIBS BROKEN WHEN CAR HIT HIM

John Lindstrom, of this city who is employed as a blacksmith in the woods in this vicinity, had a narrow escape from being fatally injured yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, when he was knocked down and dragged for a number of feet, by a large Hudson car driven by Douglas Stoll, colored, of this city. The accident occurred at the entrance to Fiddler's garage, on North Fraley street, as the man was passing along the walk. The car struck him just about the center of the body and when he fell his clothes caught the end of one of the springs and he was dragged along until the auto was brought to a stop. Otherwise the car might have passed over his body and fatal injuries would have resulted. Immediately after the accident he was picked up and carried into the garage, and a physician summoned. The man sustained three broken ribs and was badly bruised about the legs and body. He was taken to the Hospital later, and reports from there today say that he is getting along nicely.—Kane Republican—June 4.

REV. W. E. VANDYKE PREACHES BACCALAUREATE SERMON

Rev. W. E. VanDyke, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church, preached an inspiring and interesting sermon Sunday evening to the members of the graduating class of 1923 of Smethport High School.

Rev. VanDyke stressed the fact that success should be based on service, and that the surest foundation should be a Christian character.

His sermon was full of splendid thoughts and sound advice and inspired all who hear it.

"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS."

The Port Allegany Green Houses have never had so large and nice daily cuts of carnations as now; but being unable to ship to market later than Friday a. m. will sell 25 best carnation for $1 or 75c per dazen Friday and Saturday. Order at once of Port Allegany Greenhouses or of Mrs. Stanley Bright.

SMETHPORT PEOPLE INVITED TO MEET SENATORS REED AND PEPPER

Every citizen of Smethport is invited to meet United States Senators George Wharton Pepper and David A. Reed in the Grand Central hotel Friday immediately after lunch. The distinguished visitors with their wives are on an automobile tour of the northern counties. They will leave Warren at 7 o'clock p. m. Thursday and will arrive in Kane that evening at 8:15 where a reception will be held. On Friday morning they will leave for Smethport and an effort is being made to have them visit Bradford for a brief period.

Monday the senators traveled nearly on schedule time. They started from Clearfield in the morning and visited DuBois, Brookville, Clarion and Tionesta, arriving in Franklin for dinner.

Tuesday they visited Grove City, Greenville and Meadville and Cambridge Springs, and Wednesday they spent in Erie.

DR. W. A. OSTRANDER IN PHILADELPHIA LAST WEEK

Dr. W. A. Ostrander returned Saturday from Philadelphia, where he had been called by the Commanding Officer of the 3rd Army Corps of the Officer's Reserve Corps of which he is a member. While there he attended the banquet of the class of 99 of Jefferson Medical college on the 30th of May, and also the Alumni dinner on the 31st. Dr. Ostrander expects to go to Camp Meade training camp, either the last of July or the first of August.

FORMER SWEDISH MINISTER PREACHED HERE SUNDAY

Rev. Emil G. Winstead, of DeKalb, Ill. former pastor of the Swedish Mission church here, who is on his way abroad to visit his father in Sweden, who has been ill for some time, stopped off in Smethport to visit his many friends and preached in the Mission church Sunday. Since Rev. Winstead left here he has graduated from the Northern Illinois State Teachers College and has received the degree of Bachelor of Education. He enjoyed his visit in Smethport and spoke highly of the improvements made since he left.

SMETHPORT INDEPENDENTS MEET DEFEAT AT BRADFORD SUNDAY

In the game played Sunday at the West Washington street grounds in Bradford the Independents were defeated by the Shamrocks, by a score of 16 to 3. A crowd of 700 fans witnessed the game.

The score—

	R.	H.	E.
Shamrock 7 2 0 1 0 0 2 4 4	16	16	3
Smethport 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0	3	8	4

Garten, Howard and Luzzi; Clark and Walker.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, The hand of death has taken from our midst, Brother Michael Herzog; therefore be it

Resolved, That we the members of Valley Grange, No. 1190, extend our heartfelt sympathy to his wife in her bereavement, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, be published in our County papers and be placed on the minutes of our Grange.

L. B. Davis,
Lura Day,
Committee.

FARM FOR SALE.

Productive, equipped farm of 60 acres, crops in; 6 head of cattle; good farm team; 9 room house; barn 36 x 36; buildings in good condition, ½ mile to concrete road, near R. R. station and cheese factory. Plenty of timber for farm use. Will be sold very reasonable. Inquire of L. R. Hafner, R. D. 4, Smethport, Pa. 23-2tpd.

MID-SUMMER HATS

In a full line of colors will be on show Friday and Saturday of this week. White's Millinery.

REFINERY AT FARMERS VALLEY WILL START ABOUT JUNE THE 25th.

Work is progressing at a good rate at the Farmers Valley Refinery The first oil was received last Saturday from the East Side.

Both stacks, 150 feet high have been completed and the fire started.

The pipe lines are nearly completed, and the brick work will be finished in a week or ten days.

F. L. Moore, president of the company, and sister and brother of Warren were here Saturday. Mr. Moore was much pleased and stated that he was much surprised to see how much work had been done in such a short time.

The work has been progressing under the management of LeRoy Davis of Farmers Valley.

MISS FEARLESS AND CO., MAKES BIG HIT.

"Miss Fearless & Co.," as played by the Senior girls Wednesday evening at the Lyceum was a great success.

The play was full of amusing incidents and numerous thrills, and reflected much credit upon all members of the cast and particularly upon Miss Carrie Day and Mrs. J. E. Cather, under whose skillful management it was produced.

Miss Ethel Moore portrayed the part of Miss Fearless to perfection; Florence Schoonmaker as the country woman proved herself a splendid actress; and Anna Gillen, as the maid, with her Irish brogue, supplied a touch of humor to the play. The ghost, Edith Andrews, was a laughable kleptomaniac.

The music for the occasion was furnished by the Smethport High School Orchestra under the direction of Prof Bright and the pleasing manner in which the young musicians rendered their selections added greatly to the pleasure of a large and appreciative audience.

All members of the cast were very well chosen and the play was in every way a great credit to the class of 1923.

FRANCES FEE OF ORMSBY KILLED IN WRECK.

Francis Fee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Fee of Ormsby, was killed Saturday in a wreck near Buffalo. Mr. Fee who was employed as flagman by the Pennsylvania railroad was said to have been buried beneath a car load of coal when two Pennsylvania trains were side swiped, near Buffalo late Saturday night.

He was 28 years of age and a fine likeable young man, and leaves many friends to mourn his tragic end. Besides his parents he is survived by 3 brothers, C. J. Fee of Buffalo, L. L. Fee of Allegany, and Edwin Fee of Ormsby, and one sister Mrs. Mabel Fenton of Ormsby. He was buried Tuesday afternoon at Allegany, N. Y. from the Presbyterian church of that place. Rev Samuel Marshall officiating. Interment was made in the Protestant cemetery.

FRANK SARTWELL BURRIED HERE SATURDAY

The body of Frank Sartwell who died May 26th at the home of his daughter Mrs. H. C. March of Erie, was brought here for burial Saturday, a simple service was held at the grave, Rev. W. E. VanDyke officiating, and the body was consigned to its last resting place in Rose Hill cemetery.

TWO MEN INJURED TUESDAY IN KEYSTONE CHARCOAL SHED.

Frank Dadio and Steve Yarvorski laborers employed by the Keystone Supply company, were badly bruised Tuesday about 2:00 o'clock p. m. when a run-way over which they were taking charcoal into the shed gave way, and the men fell 16 feet, the charcoal falling on them.

Both men were hurried to the Bradford hospital, and the latest reports are that they have no bones broken, and will soon be back at work again.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors of Ormsby, Lafayette, Buffalo, Olean and Allegany, for the beautiful flowers and the many acts of kindness shown us during our late bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Fee,
and Family.

FOREST FIRE RAGES LAST OF THE WEEK.

One of the worst forest fires in this section, raged the last of the week on the land known as the L. J. Backer tract and owned by S. J. Gifford, Theodore Norman, Henry Hamlin estate, Campbell estate, and Lloyd Downey.

The fire started Friday, June 1st and the fire fighters under L. H. Hogarth assisted by Carl Benson, had it partly subdued by Saturday morning, when they left 10 men to guard the line. The fire broke out with renewed vilolence and was more than the men could handle. At 11 o'clock the full force of fire fighters returned, and at 9 o'clock that evening the fire was completely out.

An area of 500 acres was devasted comprising the finest growth of second growth timber in this vicinity.

About fifty men and boys, including all the men from the Window Glass Factory with the exception of two or three, were called out to fight the fire.

Another fire was in Gifford Hollow the 31st day of May, and burned over only a small area. Fred Petruzzi of East Smethport had charge of the fire fighters.

JOHN MICHAEL HERZOG.

John Michael Herzog aged sixty-four years died Monday evening, May 28, 1923 at the family home near Farmers Valley, after a lengthy illness.

Deceased was born in Clermont and had spent his entire life in this section where he was respected for his industry and integrity.

He is survived by his wife and one sister, Mrs. Lena Speer of Pittsburgh, Pa., three brothers, John of St. Marys, Pa., George of Washington and Laurence of Colegrove, Pa.

Funeral services were held Thursday May 31st at 2:00 p. m. from his late home.

Rev. Arthur Gregson officiating and interment was made at the Smith cemetery.

The I. O. O. F. attended in a body and held services at the grave.

Relatives from out of town who attended were Mrs. Lena Speer of Pittsburgh, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. John Herzog of St. Marys, Pa., and Mrs. Frank Lippert of Olean, N. Y., Mrs. and Mrs. Blair and Alonzo Dehn of Roulette, Pa., James Freeman and family of Bolivar, N. Y., and Mr. Bunker and family of Duke Center, Pa.

ACCIDENT AT REFINERY.

Murel Burdick and Walter Weimer, employees at the Farmers Valley Refinery were injured Saturday when an overloaded scaffolding fell, carrying the men with it to the ground. Burdick had his shoulder injured, and Weimer has his knee hurt, but they have improved rapidly and are back at work again.

FARMERS DAY AT STATE COLLEGE.

Aayone wanting to go to Farmers' Day at State College, June 14th kindly notify the Farm Bureau Office at Smethport, on or before June 9th, and arrangements will be made.

POTATO PLANTING CAUTION.

People planting potatoes by hand especially at this time when the ground is exceedingly dry and sun quite hot, should be very careful not to score out many furrows ahead of the planting. A furrow that has been open to the sun for a few hours becomes exceedingly hot and dry, and potatoes dropped in a furrow of that kind and covered with dirt of the same temperature will very often never grow. This causes a poor stand in every field.

NEW BEE LAW.

June 30th is the last day when bes are allowed to be kept in box-hives, logs, barrels or any kind of a make shift hive. Pennsylvania Bee Law of 1921 makes it compulsory to move alll such to modern movable frame hives, on or before June 30, 1923.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors also the I. O. O. F. for the many acts of kindness at the time of the illness and death of my husband. Mrs. Mary Herzog.

50 GOOD CIGARETTES 10¢

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

VICINITY NEWS

Mr and Mrs. Hunt of Prentisvale spent Decoration as the guests of Rosa Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cunningham and family of Olean were in town last week.

William Hawkes and Joseph Grace of Buffalo were week-end guests at O. D. Nourse's.

Ora McAlwee of Johnsonburg is visiting relatives here.

Elissa Tanner of Olean spent Sunday at her home.

Jack Griffin has purchased a Chevrolet touring car.

Olive Thomas was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Tony Anderson last week.

Jessie Haven left Wednesday for a visit with friends in Buffalo.

Mrs. Forrest Nourse and Lois were Bradford visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Acre of Olean were visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Golding of Port Allegany were calling on friends in this neighborhood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Sheldon were calling at Nelson Love's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pratt of Prentisvale spent Decoration with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Champlin and Mr. and Mrs. Lane of Friendship, N. Y. were calling at O. D. Nourse's Sunday evening.

Lewis Tanner of Kushequa spent week-end here.

About fifty young people enjoyed a picnic at Sylvanus Pierce's Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Dodge of Kane was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Beman Hyde motored to Bradford Monday evening.

Sam Crawford has moved into the Gillen house on the East Valley road.

Jane and Bernice Mosier were Sunday guests of Gladys Nourse.

Mrs. Allan Hyde and Alice Ferman attended the dance in Port Allegany Wednesday evening.

Bob Rifle was calling on friends in Riley Hollow Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Nourse left Wednesday for Angola, Indiana where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Bloomster and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stull motored to Johnsonburg Sunday.

Sarah Armstrong was calling at R. L. Hyde's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Love were Sunday guests at Roy Dickerson.

Oscar Okerlund was in town last week.

George Hyde of Buffalo spent Decoration with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lynch have moved into the flat over Ermie Stilson's residence.

Mrs. Ada Windsor and Mrs. Manning of Port Allegany were visiting at F. H. Nourse's last week.

Mrs. George Hyde and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hoffman of Buffalo spent Sunday here.

Gladys Nourse, Jane Mosier, Bill Hawkes and Joe Grace were in Eldred Saturday.

COLEGROVE

Mrs. G. C. Mason spent a few days of last week with her daughter Beatrice in Jamestown.

Mrs. Kelly and Ruth McCurdy of Kane spent the week with James McCurdy and family.

Leola Anderson spent the week-end in Port Allegany.

C. M. Benson and son Donald were Olean visitors last Monday.

Mr. Pingle Johnson and family of Keystone spent Sunday with R. N. Wilson and family.

Mrs. C. H. Hawks and Maude Scanlan were Smethport visitors Saturday.

Herman Lord was a Smethport visitor Thursday.

TURTLE POINT

Mrs. Geo Crandall of Bradford spent part of last week with her mother Mrs. N. W. Taylor who has been on the sick list but is improving at this writing.

Mr. Joe Wallace of Moody Hollow has been doing team work for Smith and Son on the Ryan farm.

Mr. Homer Frost cheese maker for the Annin Dairy Products Co., is on the sick list. Mr. Arthur Murphy and O. W. Athey are assisting Chester Taylor with the work.

Mr. Allen Owens of Smethport was in this place a few days last week.

Mrs. Mollie Valsing and Son Geo of Bradford were guests of Mrs. Valsing's sister Miss Winifred Simpson last Sunday a week ago.

Mr. Emmett Hultz is working for Norm Smith.

Mrs. Ed. McGill was in Port Allegany last Wednesday.

Mr. Davis Woodard is doing carpenter work on Harry Evans on Mullin Creek.

A number of people from this place attended Commencement Exercises at Port Allegany last Monday evening, May 28.

O. L. Tubbs was in this place last Thursday collecting taxes.

BURBANKS

Miss Mildred Rice, Linda Beckwith, Mr. Fritz Opperbach and Elton Rice motored from Little Valley Saturday and were the guests of Helen Haven.

Mr. D. M. Sheehan, and daughter Helen, and Mert McCarthy of St. Marys were visiting at the home of Richard Griffin, Decoration Day.

Mrs. C. P. Haven returned Tuesday after a week's visit with friends and relatives in Salamanca and Little Valley.

Olive and Almond Thomas were visitors in Kane a few days during the past week.

Mary Haven is the guest of Mildred Rice of Little Valley.

Mrs. Albert Hussey returned home after visiting at the home of C. A. Gallup.

Dora McCurdy was the guest of Florence Haven Thursday.

Frank Gallup was a business visitor in Betula Monday.

Jessie Haven left Wednesday for a few days visit in Buffalo.

Pauline and Marjorie Gallup were visiting their grandparents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kief of Buffalo were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gallup Decoration Day.

Augusta Walters was visiting her sister Mrs. George Griffin Thursday.

CROSBY

Mr. George Winslow motored to Turtle Point Sunday.

Mr. Lewis Hendrickson was a Smethport shopper Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Timmerman and family motored to Smethport Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dillon and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bloomster were motorists Sunday.

Mrs. Josephine Lathrop of Gary, Indiana, is spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Barbour motored to Potter County Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanitarn left Saturday for Jamestown.

Mr. Lewis Rossel motored to Smethport Monday.

Mrs. Karl Fisher was visiting in Smethport Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bloomster and daughters Edna and Mrs. Carl Mrs. Clyde Stull of Sand Spit motored to Johnsonburg Sunday.

John M. Kirkham is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Curran of Smethport.

Miss Helen Krueger has returned to her home here after spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Chas. Day of Bradford.

Mr. E. H. Coleman is spending a few days in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith of Allandale are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Doubles.

ANOTHER LIFE SAVED BY TELEPHONE MAN

Renders Valuable First Aid Treatment to Victim of Street Accident.

Myron Rhodline, of Bethlehem, employed by The Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, through his knowledge of First Aid, and his quick action was undoubtedly responsible for the saving of John A. Corbin's life in a recent accident.

Myron Rhodline.

Rhodline had just boarded a trolley car on his way to work when he was showered with broken glass. When he looked to see what had caused the accident he saw Corbin lying under the front wheels of the car. He immediately went to his assistance. The injured man had been struck by the car and suffered the amputation of one leg and mangling of the other. Rhodline found the point of pressure at the pit of the injured leg and held it firmly until the arrival of Doctor Heller, who had been summoned to the scene of the accident.

After the accident Dr. Heller stated that the Telephone man had rendered most valuable assistance to him in his treatment of the case.

"Before my arrival," stated Dr. Heller, "he had located the femoral artery and made pressure over it and controlled the bleeding. This was most advantageous to the patient, as thereby he prevented a large loss of blood, which made it possible to operate on the patient on his admission to the Hospital."

THE CROSBY BAND PROGRESSING; BIG DANCE IN I. O. R. M. HALL FRIDAY.

Everyone will be pleased to know that Crosby Band is giving a dance in the I. O. R. M. Hall, next Friday night, June 8. The Fitzgerald Orchestra of Olean will furnish music for the occasion. The price of the tickets will be "one-fifty."

CAREFUL CROSSING CAMPAIGN.

The Pennsylvania Railroad System, together with the other railroads of the country, will conduct another "Careful Crossing Campaign" this year similar to that of last summer. This year's campaign will cover the month of June, July August and September.

The object of the campaign is to bring to the attention of the American people the necessity for exercising the greatest possible care to avoid being struck and killed or injured by trains while traveling over highway crossings, and to impress upon locomotive enginemen, firemen, track foremen, crossing watchmen and all other employes the necessity for doing everything within their power to prevent such accidents.

Thousands of posters illustrating a grade crossing accident have been distributed for posting along the Pennsylvania Railroad System. A million stickers with the same illustration will be pasted on correspondence sent out from railroad offices. Lantern slides calling attention to the objects of the campaign will be furnished to motion picture houses. Automobile windshield stickers will also be distributed.

CASTE PREJUDICE IN INDIA

Not a Bar to Any Occupation, Though the Observance Is Most Rigidly Enforced.

There are four castes in India, the Brahmans, Kshatriyas, Vaisyas and Sudras, corresponding traditionally to the occupations of priest, warrior, trader and artisan. But though this would suggest that caste was at one time a class distinction, yet at the present day a caste may include all classes save that of priest, which is reserved to the Brahmans. Caste is no bar to any occupation. A rajah may be a Sudra. His cook may be a Brahman. The rajah is of a higher class than his cook, though of a very much lower caste. And, though the Brahman will cook the rajah's dinner, he will not eat it with him, or permit his daughter to marry the rajah.

Though it is not looked upon with approval, marriage is possible between castes which are not widely separated. In particular, a legal marriage can take place between two contiguous castes. But in all such mixed marriages the children belong entirely to the lower caste.

Music of American Indians.

The music of the American Indians is solely and simply vocal. It seems to be generally agreed by musical authorities that the Indians' songs have in them nothing borrowed from instruments, nothing of artificial instigation. An Indian melody never serves two sets of words. There is no instance, it appears, where the people have sung the different stanzas of a ballad to the same air. A large proportion of Indian songs are entirely without words at all, syllables being employed to carry the tones. Perhaps the most striking peculiarity of Indian music is the lack of definite pitch. The Indian begins his song where the natural quality of his voice and his mood at the time render it easiest for him to sing it. The pitch of the song depends upon the individual.—Washington Star.

FLORISTS FIND TELEPHONE IMPORTANT BUSINESS AID

There is much recent evidence to which wideawake Florists, both wholesale and retail, are relying on the telephone to stimulate business.

Usually flowers are wanted in a hurry and because the telephone can so quickly close the gaps between the grower, wholesaler, retailer and customer it is coming to general use.

Quite apart from the opportunities of the telephone for selling to distant retailers, growers appreciate it as a means of keeping in touch with their trade. "I don't always call my customers for the purpose of selling them some blooms," said a wholesaler recently. "I want them always to have in mind that with the telephone at their elbows we can help them in any emergency they may face."

On the other hand, the retailer of today is keeping in closer touch with the grower and wholesaler than ever before. He finds the telephone valuable for quick and advantageous buying and with the assurance of quick deliveries he is ready for any emergency that may arise. He is scanning the newspapers of the adjoining towns for coming receptions, banquets, weddings, balls and assuring those interested of his willingness to take charge of the floral decorations.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

ONE KILLED BY GAS; RESCUERS OVERCOME.

Fumes From Oil Seepage Well Fatal to Merle Rogers—Brother and W. H. King Saved by Firemen.

Olean, June 6.—Merle Rogers, 35 years old, was killed by gas fumes last night when overcome in his seepage oil well in the Pitcher field. Two men who attempted a rescue, one of them Rogers' brother also were overcome and were rescued with great difficulty. W. H. King, 35 years old, is in the hospital recovering from the gas fumes and James Rogers, 22 years old, was revived last night.

Rogers was in partnership in the well, which is about 20 feet deep. Merle was in the habit of going there every night and pumping out the seepage oil which drained down from the nearby refineries. When he did not return immediately last night his partner went down to look for him. He saw Merle lying at the bottom of the well. King was on his way from work and he volunteered to go down and get him. He went to the bottom and started to tie a rope about Rogers when he toppled over. James Rogers, who had come running to the well with a gas mask, went down after the two men. The mask, made to neutralize chemical warfare gases, was no protection in the well and Rogers also was overcome before he could do anything.

In the meantime the fire department was called and one of the firemen put a noose around the men's legs with the aid of a pike pole. Merle Rogers was dead when brought to the top. King and James Rogers were revived after artificial respiration had been employed for some time.

HAZELHURST MAN IN FORD RUNS INTO TWO OTHER CARS

The most serious accident to be recorded so far this season on the Mt. Jewett-Kane highway, occurred about 10:30 last night, in front of the Greendale school house. There were four cars concerned in the wreck and several people were injured.

Ed Engle of Hazelhurst, driving a Ford car, had attended the circus here last night and left for home at the close of the night performance. He had as passengers Mrs. Bertha Moon and a man whose name was not learned, both of Hazelhurst. As Engle approached the Greendale school house, he turned out to avoid a Ford car parked at the roadside and within the next instant ran into another Ford, driven by Charles Rainbridge of Kane, who had Floyd Gustafson, also of Kane, riding with him.

According to the story of participants in the wreck Engle then lost control of his car and crashed into an Overland-4, belonging to and driven by Vincent Bloomquist of Kane, who had Frederick Christenson and Lewis Mischeau in the car with him.

There was a tremendous crash when the cars met and the occupants were thrown about promiscuously, the two cars being reduced almost to junk. Those not badly hurt soon took account of damages and found that Mrs. Moon was the most seriously injured. She was brought to the hospital here where it transpired that one leg was badly bruised and lacerated, her lip cut entirely through and her forehead severely bruised.

Lewis Mischeau was found to have sustained a bad gash on his forehead and his hand was cut. Vincent Bloomquist had a bruised shoulder. Ed Engle was injured about the chest and Floyd Gustafson's head was slightly hurt.

Today Engle assumed blame for the accident and paid the claims for the damaged cars. It is understood that the Bloomquist car was damaged to the extent of $300 while the damage to Bainbridge's Ford was about $40.

Viewing the wreckage of the cars one wonders that someone was not killed and are convinced that this is one of those so-called "lucky" accident.—Kane Republican June 5

STUDYING BANK NOTE PORTRAITS IS URGED.

New York, Feb. 18.—The raising of United States currency above its face value by unscrupulous individuals has become so general in the last few year that the Secret Srvic division of the United States has issued a general warning to all who handle large sums of money to give close watch to all currency accepted.

Carl H. Getz, an authority on forgery and counterfeiting in the current issue of Hotel Management, says:

"Ninety per cent of the money in circulation in the United States is in the form of Federal reserve bank notes. Ninety-five per cent of the raised currency in circulation are these same notes. Crooks succeed in changing the figures and the letters but they can't change the portraits. If bank tellers, department store cashiers, railroad ticket sellers and others who handle large sums of money would memorize the portraits which appear on the different denominations of Federal reserve bank notes, there would be very little passing of raised currency.

"This ought to be easy because the portraits which appear on these bills are ones which everyone remembers from school days. They are:

"On a $1 Federal reserve bank note, Washington; on a $2, Jefferson; $5, Lincoln; $10, Jackson; $20, Cleveland; $50, Grant; $100, Franklin."

Mr. Getz points out that the average man and woman can't tell from memory the difference between a $1 and a $5 bill and says the United States government ought to issue currency with each denomination so distinctly different that everyone could quickly tell the difference between the various denominations.

FLAMES DESTROY TWO STORY HOUSE AT 2 HILL STREET BRADFORD

Fire completely destroyed the home of a family named Prouth at 2 Hill street at 11:30 this forenoon Mrs. Prouch telephoned the fire department, but owing to a misunderstanding the firemen went to Hilton street on a wild goose chase and by the time they reached Hill street, the fire had progressed too far, for the house to besaved.

After the firemen reached Hilton stret they were told that box 41 had been pulled and they hurried to the Fourth Ward, but eventually an alarm from box 52 called them to Hill street.

Mrs. Prouch it is understood was washing her kitchen and was so busy at work that she did not know tha her house was on fire until someone called to her that the kitchen was on fire. She then looked up from her work and saw that the ceiling was all ablaze, having ignited from the stove pipe. She then sent in the telephone alarm from a neighbor's house and was misunderstood.

The house which was two stories and of good size was burned to the ground. Part of the furnishing were saved, but it is understood that the Prouch's had only a small insurance on their property.—Bradford Star—June 1.

PEDESTRIAN KILLED WHEN HIT BY AUTO

Condersport, June 4.—The body thought to be that of Edward Flattery, 65 years old, of Johnstown who died almost instantly after being struck by an auto driven by J. C. Franke, is being held in a local undertaking parlors awaiting identification.

Flattery was walking along the road at Sweden Hill, in the opposite direction to the auto, and is said to have stepped directly in the path of the machine.

Franke did not admit that he struck the man immediately following the accident, but at a hearing held Saturday before Judge W. W. Thompson, he finally admitted that he did. He was placed under arrest charged with reckless driving and manslaughter and was later released under $1,000 bonds. The case will be tried at the June term of court convened here today.

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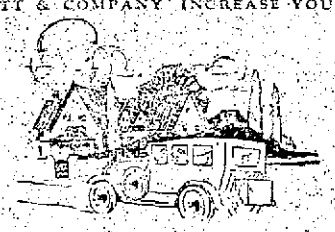

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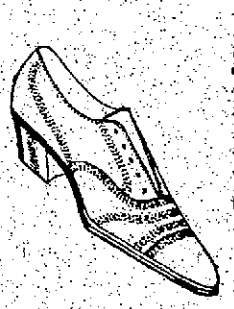

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NOTICE.

In re Estate of John Magner, deceased.

Letters of Administration, C. T. A. on the estate of John Magner, late of Keating Township, McKean County, Pa., deceased, have been issued to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay.

GUY B. MAYO, Admr., C. T. A.
Smethport, Pa., May 3, 1923.
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

Editor Miner:

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff of McKean County subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries, Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

A. B. HENRY,
April 2, 1923 Eldred, Pa.

Editor Miner:

Kindly announce that I am a candidate for the nomination of sheriff of McKean County subject to the decision of the voters of the county at the primaries, on Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

RICHARD T. FOWLER,
April 2, 1923. Kane, Pa.

To the Editor of the Miner:—

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of McKean County subject to the action of the Republican party at the primaries, September 18, 1923.

JOHN H. HOWE,
Bradford, Pa., March 31, 1923.

Editor Miner, Smethport:—

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of McKean County subject to the decision of the Republican party at the primaries, September 18, 1923.

H. G. SOLT,
Chief of Police, Bradford, Pa.

FOR TREASURER.

Editor Miner:

Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of McKean County, at the fall primary election to be held on Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

DANIEL M. COOPER,
68 Jefferson St., Bradford, Pa.

I hereby announce that I am a candiate for the nomination for County Treasurer of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican party at the primaries to be held September 18, 1923.

JOSEPH F. ROBINSON,
March 27, 1923. Smethport, Pa.

Editor Miner:

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination of Commissioner of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries on Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

W. H. HALPENNY,
March 27, 1923. Smethport, Pa.

Homer Chatley of Bradford announces he is a Republican candidate for County Treasurer of McKean county, subject to the action of the Republican voters in the September primaries.

HOMER CHATLEY.
March 19th, 1923.

Editor the Miner:

Kindly announce that I am a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held September 18, 1923.

CHAS. M. CAREY,
April 10, 1923. Kane, Pa.

FOR REGISTER
Register of Wills.

The Editor:—

Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of Register of Wills & Clerk of the Orphans' Court of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held, September 18, 1923.

JOHN B. EASTMAN,
Smethport, Pa., April 3, 1923.

Editor McKean Miner:

Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphan's Court of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the election to be held September 18, 1923.

C. ROY Engstrom,
Kane, Pa., May 15, 1923.

FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS

Editor Miner:

Kaidly announce that I am a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds of McKean County, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of the County, at the Fall Primaries to be held September 18th, 1923.

A. R. ANDERSON,
April 16, 1923. Clermont, Pa.

PROGRESS IN FUNDING DEBTS.

Further progress is noted in the refunding of the allied debts to the United States. A commission from Czechoslovakia has reached Washington ready to discuss terms for repayment of the $106,000,000 owed by that country. Italian officials have signed the intention of their government to make repayment in full, provided they are offered as lenient terms as those accorded to Great Britain. At the time of the British negotiations it was indicated that the settlement would probably form a precedent for arrangements with other debtor governments. Whenever Italy chooses to send its commission here, there is likely to be no delay in arriving at a mutual agreement. France and Belgium will then be the principal debtors which have failed to refund their obligations.

HELPING EXPORT TRADE.

Information supplied by the Department of Commerce in aid of American manufacturers desirous of supplying the foreign market is of a very practical and definite sort. The Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce has compiled a list of more than 200 American products that are wanted by foreign purchasers. In each instance confidential information can be obtained from offices of the Bureau in 33 cities. The data has been compiled from the reports of American commissioners, attaches, and consuls from all parts of the world. Of course general information for the benefit of exporters is always available at the Department, but the effort to bring the individual manufacturer and buyer into communication is an innovation and promises to result in scores of sales.

PROSPERITY CHECKS COMMUNISM MOVEMENT

The Harding administration has made the most effective answer to the communist movement in this country. Plenty of work at good wages brings contentment, and men and women are not going on destroy contentment in order to advance some new political theory. It is only in periods of unemployment and low wages that the arguments of the communist find a fertile field. At such times workers lend a willing ear to plausible schemes for the betterment of their condition. We will always have professional agitators of the Foster type with us, but wage earners in the enjoyment of Republican prosperity are going to note the difference between their lot and that of the poor Russians. They will hesitate a long time before attempting to wreck the government that is providing them with a contented livelihood.

"OBSESSION", INDEED.

A prominent American internationalist says he has an obsession against the word "patriotism." Well, perhaps "obsession" against the word "patriotism." Well, perhaps "obsession" is the right word to express his state of mind. Webster's New International Dictionary says, "Act of the Devil or an evil spirit in impelling him to action from without."

In the first three months of this year 1,101,327 tons of merchandise were landed at the port of Boston, compared with 814,193 tons in the same period last year. About the same rate of increase is noted at our other ports. Yet some people insist that the Republican tariff would stifle our trade.

CONCERNING THE HEADLIGHTS ON BEHIND

William McAdoo bobbed up serenely at Nashville last week. He had been invited to address a collection of business men, and proceeded to do so in his characteristic style. Of course, he assailed the tariff, a never-failing topic for Democratic orators. It is so easy, you know. No thought required. Facts are unnecessary. Just the free or near-free trade theory is sufficient.

Having settled the tariff and predicted Democratic victory next year, he gravely announced that the Harding administration had been traveling "for the past two years with its headlights on behind" and proclaimed that "we are going to put Uncle Sam's headlight on his front."

Well McAdoo ought to be authority on headlights, but he isn't. We seem to remember that during the war when he was managing the railroad systems of the country he had full charge of all headlights. He may have thought that he had properly placed them in front, but in any event the result was disastrous. The roads have not yet fully emerged from the wreckage that he visited upon them. So the less he says about headlights the less he will display his ignorance.

But if, as he asserts, the Harding administration has been running with headlights on behind, it would be a serious blunder to shift them. The Nation is prosperous. The huge debt is gradually growing smaller. Taxes have been reduced—not to the extent desirable, but in a measure. The tariff is working wonderfully well. It is not the stone wall against imports that its foes predicted. Indeed, imports exceed exports. The industries of the country are humming. Never were wages especially in constructive operations higher. There is employment for everyone.

If these conditions have been brought about by running with the headlights on behind, by all means let us keep them precisely where they are. But it is just possible, don't you think, that Mr. McAdoo doesn't know which is the front and which is the hind end? He certainly didn't when he was in command at Washington. — Philadelphia Enquirer.

THE COMMON HEART

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THE Lord has made us much alike,
And made us all akin;
Three meals a day, and work and play,
And night to slumber in.
We're high and low, we're rich and poor,
And think we are apart;
But, in our pain, our joy again,
We have the common heart.

The Lord has made us much alike,
However else it seems;
The poorest man has still his plan,
His visions and his dreams.
And, if humanity shall rise,
Together we must start,
The high and low together so
We have the common heart.

The Lord has made us much alike
And made us like to Him.
Build not so high the shadows lie
Another's path to dim.
All you can suffer He can feel,
And tears of sorow smart
The eyes of all, as hotly fall
Upon the common heart.

The Lord has made us much alike—
Think not of clan nor class,
But understand and shape the land
Remembering the mass.
Grant rich or poor the rightly his,
There lies the statesman's art—
With justice thrilled, the nation build
Upon the common heart!

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Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

DON'T BE SCARED

FEAR has done more harm in the world than drunkenness—which is saying a good deal.

The sooner you eliminate fear from your make-up the sooner you will get where you are trying to go.

The man who has the best chance in the world is the man who is afraid to be scared—who has learned to fear fear.

The fear that saps a man's purpose and leaves him trembling and helpless on the threshold of life has many forms.

There is the fear of the rich and powerful—too common, even in this day when the rich and powerful can do little harm to their fellows.

There is the fear of poverty—a real fear, and one which is harder to shake off than all the others.

There is the fear of what other people will say, the fear of being ridiculed—the commonest and perhaps the most mischievous form.

Get them all out of your system.

Remember that the rich and the powerful, of whose greatness you stand in awe, are only human beings, and that they have little reason for wanting to injure you, even if it were possible.

Get rid of the fear of poverty by thrift and frugality, which will enable you if necessary to live on little, and give you a reserve to tide you over if the loss of a job temporarily strands you on the beach.

As to the fear of ridicule, forget it altogether. The opinion of other people is more negligible than you suppose. And those who would ridicule you because you are working hard and with a purpose are moved more by jealousy than any other motive.

As soon as you discover that other people can be afraid of you, you will cease to be afraid of them. Then your fears gradually will subside.

Fear is instinctive in most of us. It is one of the results of the desire for self-preservation that is as old as the race.

But it is always a handicap. The thing that you should be most afraid of is fear—the fear that makes you a weak paltry creature, with your faculties paralyzed, and all the elements of progress that are in you terrified into inaction.

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TEACHING PARROTS TO "TALK"

Skill and Patience Required to Turn Out Birds That Can Be Sold to Advantage.

There are quite a number of people who make a living by teaching parrots to talk. It is a task that requires patience and skill.

Each bird is put in a cage by himself and covered with a bag, which prevents the parrot from seeing out and at the same time admits sufficient light. Then the "schoolmaster" stands in front of the cages, and says what he wants the birds to learn. The words are repeated once a minute.

Sometimes this repetition goes on for several hours before the pupil begins to do anything else but scream, but at last he begins to murmur the words.

As soon as one bird can say the words without a mistake the master's work is done, for the pupil will soon teach the words to all the other occupants of the room. They are left in the covered cages for a day, and at the end of that time every parrot will know the words thoroughly.

Then the creatures have to be taught when to say the words. Let us suppose that the lesson was "Come and kiss me." The bags are lifted off the cages by a number of pretty girls. They are the first people the parrots see, and consequently each bird connects the words with a pretty girl, and ever afterward uses the sentence in this connection.

SNAKES IN QUEENSLAND BUSH

Residents Set Traps for Unpleasant Intruders, and Lure Them to Their Death.

"Women in Queensland," says Miss Puxley, a young English woman, author of "Wanderings in the Queensland Bush," "often set traps for snakes which have entered houses, in the shape of a frog left hopping about on a saucer full of polished milk. Both of these are sure draws, the snakes being killed while resting after the meal." She then tells the story of a friend of hers, who was standing in the doorway of her house when a snake, having seen a saucer of milk just behind her, pushed past her to reach this dainty. She quickly closed the door when it was half-way through, and so broke its back. This was one of the deadly black snakes of Queensland. Another bit of information about snakes, which Miss Puxley gives, is the fact that because of the angle at which a certain snake's teeth are set it is impossible for him to stop swallowing anything once he has really begun. So it happens that two snakes, which may have started out on a killing in a spirit of camaraderie, may, each begin swallowing at one end of their prey, but when they have reached the middle there is nothing to do except to continue, and the snake with the largest mouth is forced to include his less fortunate companion of the chase in his meal.

Remarkable Oak Grove.

A member of the forestry service states that near Champaign, Ill., there exists an isolated oak grove, about three miles long by one mile broad, and that this is indeed a peculiar phenomenon. It is known as Burr Oak grove and is surrounded on all sides by open prairie, being situated at a considerable distance from the nearest stream, whereas all the other forest tracks in central Illinois lie along the larger water courses. It is believed from the character of the trees in the grove that it "migrated" into its position from the northeast. It lies on a large glacial moraine, formerly, it is believed, covered with similar trees, and has been protected from forest fires, which have destroyed the remainder of the wooded area, by the water standing in the low grounds scattered throughout the grove.—Washington Star.

Skunk Cabbage Has Its Uses.

The skunk cabbage, although its blossom has, as its name implies, an extremely unpleasant, malodorous scent, is, nevertheless, a flower.

Despite the fact that the skunk cabbage is despised by most flower lovers, it nevertheless plays a somewhat important part in nature's wonderful scheme. With the earliest days that have a suspicion of spring warmth the bees commence to leave the nooks and crannies where they have been hibernating through the long winter months, and start out in search of that which they are most in need of—food. This, were it not for our lowly swamp dweller, they would be unable to find, says Nature Magazine, and they would all perish miserably of starvation long before another flower could supply them with the needed food.

Gottland "Pearl of Baltic."

The saga relates that the discoverer, and first settler on the Isle of Gottland, was a man named Thjelvar. From the same source one learns that the island was then in such an unstable condition that it was submerged in the daytime, and rose to the surface at night, but Thjelvar exterminated with fire the trolls and evil spirits that infested it, and never since that time have the waters broken over "the Pearl of the Baltic." In later years, the early Middle ages, Gottland was indeed a power to be reckoned with, and it is the combination of ancient fairy lore and an interesting historical past that makes the island so attractive and a favorite spot for tourists intent on exploring strange ground.

Mother's Cook Book

The only reason a road is good, as every wanderer knows, is just because of the homes, the homes, the homes to which it goes.

FOOD FOR THE CHILDREN

FOR the first two years of a child's life the food problem is not complex as his main diet is milk. At three months of age strained orange juice may be given, a teaspoonful at a time between feedings, to great advantage, supplying fruit acid and vitamines which are invaluable for growth.

As the child grows he may eat more and more the food of the adult, but the wisest course to follow is simplicity of food, no mixing of several varieties, even if enjoyed by older palates.

Oatmeal, whole wheat and cereals which add bulk and furnish the desired energy are best for breakfast. Toast, egg and a cup of hot milk or a glass of cold, depending upon the season and taste of the child, is another good breakfast. For dinner, vegetables, very little well-cooked meat and a simple dessert is the wisest plan.

Steamed pudding with rich sauces and ice cream with sauces should be avoided. A pudding like the following is good and easily digested:

Prune Pudding.

Take one cupful of prunes, remove the stones and put through the meat chopper, add one-half cupful of sugar, two eggs well beaten, three cupfuls of milk, one-half teaspoonful of orange extract—or a little grated rind is better. Cut a thick slice of bread into small dice (the bread should be buttered), stir into the mixture and pour into a baking dish. Bake slowly until the custard is set and the bread is brown. This will take an hour and a quarter.

Blueberry Pudding.

Butter slices of bread and lay into a baking dish, cover with canned blueberries poured over hot, add another layer of buttered bread and more berries until the dish is full. Set away to chill. Serve with cream and sugar. If put into a mold it may be turned out on a platter and garnished with whipped cream.

A nicely baked apple with or without cream and sugar is a fine dessert for a child. Tapioca pudding, rice pudding, prune whip, cornstarch puddings of various sorts are all good for the little people as they are easily digested.

Nellie Maxwell

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No Doubt About It.

Mr. Newlywed was on his honeymoon, and as he had married a very pretty young wife, he lost no chance of telling everybody with whom he came in contact that he was a married man.

"I want rooms," he announced, as he approached the hotel reception clerk, trying to appear as nonchalant as possible.

"Certainly, sir," said the clerk. "For how many?"

"For myself and my wife," replied Newlywed.

"Yes," said the clerk. "Quite, sir?"

"Sweet?" cried Mr. Newlywed. "Of course she is."

Deer One of the Family.

At Matamagon on the east branch of the Penobscot, where a supply depot is maintained, there is a tame deer which enters the house occasionally and eats food from the table. The deer prefers to sleep in the open at the edge of the woods, but during the day plays around the dooryard of the farm, following a dog, of whom it appears to be fond, wherever the animal goes. Several times when the deer has been in the house and has wanted to go out it has leaped through a window, taking out sash and glass with it. —Portland (Me.) Press.

THE FINGER NAILS

WE FIND sometimes in the hand of a woman short nails, combined with the following characteristics.

The line of the heart (the upper of the two lines crossing the palm horizontally) is short, and the head line, underneath it, is straight and inclined to turn up toward the finger of Mercury, the little finger. The mount of Mercury is flat and covered with lines, and the mounts of the moon and of Mars (at the outside of the edge of the palm) are high. The joints of the hand are very plainly visible.

These are the marks of a woman of harsh disposition and quarrelsome nature, and they are made more strong by the shortness of the nails. For a confirmation of this sign of quarrelsomeness, consult the triangle formed by the line of life, the line of the head and the line of health. If there is a decided cross to be perceived in this triangle, we may say with fairly good assurance that the disposition of the possessor is pugnacious and quarrelsome.

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HISTORY MADE IN FACTORY

French Revolution Said to Have Had Its Inception in Institution of the Reveillons.

Included among the first wall paper makers in America was Joseph Bumstead, of Boston. He traveled in France in 1824, and also ten years later. He left an interesting diary of the industry. Bumstead visited the Zuber works in Alsace and in his diary wrote that Zuber had succeeded in 1829, in making the first paper in continuous rolls at his paper factory in Rupperswiller, and had sold the English rights for $7,000. In 1870 Zuber took back from Manchester, England, the first wall paper printing machine used in France. A few years later nearly all wall papers were machine printed in designs that were mostly bad.

History records that it was at a wall paper factory, the famous Royal Manufactory of Reveillon, that the French revolution broke out on April 18, 1789. Reveillon employed more than 300 workmen. A rumor had been circulated that the workmen were to be taxed 15 sous a day, and that "bread was too good for them." A mob assembled and proceeded to pillage the factory. The furniture and fixtures were thrown out into the street. The troops were called out. Reveillon fled to London where he passed the remainder of his life.

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Pathe News:

COMING:—NORMA TALMADGE in THE VOICE FROM THE MINARET.
And DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in THE THREE MUSKETEERS

PERSONALS

Grace Brooks and Marie Gregory of Emporium were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Green and family, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fay and Julia motored to Belmont, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Howitt and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Eberley of Johnsonburg spent Sunday with friends here.

Dave Swanson of Ridgway was a week end visitor here.

Jay Quirk was an Olean visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kessler and family motored to Delevan, N. Y. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sheldon spent the week end in Buffalo.

Wilbert Dahlberg and Alfred Peterson of Mt. Jewett were in town Saturday.

Mr. Chas Johnson, Albert and Alfred Johnson and son Charles, and Lucy Moore were Kane visitors Sunday.

Wm. Colegrove of Ridgway spent the week-end with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chaplin of Gary, Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Sasse of Friendship spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Noah Holmes and son of Lamont, Pa., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Nellis.

John Saulpaugh was in Buffalo Saturday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nichols and Thos and Norma Anderson were in Olean Saturday.

Carrie McGowan was an Olean visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Miss. Sam Bloomberg and Alene Engstrom motored to Bradford Thursday.

Mrs. Sanford Lovett of Pittsburg was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Larson this week.

Margaret Fry has returned from a visit in Olean and Salamanca.

Andrew Proctor left Friday for Brockwayville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Purkeypyle of Cleveland, O., are the guests of the latter's mother Mrs. Belle Eagan.

Mrs. F. A. Green, Lois, and Mrs. Wm. Pierotti motored to Bradford Thursday.

Mrs. Oscar Anderson entertained the Ladies Aid Society of the Swedish Lutheran church Thursday afternoon at her home in Ormsby.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sheldon and daughter Marie, and Marie Anderson have returned from a visit with relatives in DuBois, Pa.

Mrs. A. E. Quirk, entertained the Tuesday bridge, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCarthy and Ruth and Mary, Motored to Johnsonburg, Sunday.

Mrs. Gene Wilson and Mrs. M. Amster of Olean were here Sunday renewing old acquaintances.

Helen and Florence Schoonmaker, were Olean visitors Saturday.

Edw. Eliason of Jamestown spent the week with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Champlin, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Lane, of Friendship and Mr. and Mrs. Chas Hyde of Wellsville visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burdicks on Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Hyde of Buffalo and childre nHobart and Dorothy spent the week-end in Smethport.

John McDermott who is employed at Mercer, Pa. is spending two weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McDermott.

Mrs. Ada Young is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Sue Burdick, who has been seriously ill, is very much improved at this writing.

Willard Wallace of Buffalo spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Drake, Mrs. Christian, Mrs. Burmeister of Pittsburg who have been the guests of Mrs Josephine Pogson of the jail, over the week-end, returned Sunday to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tretton and children of Rochester, N. Y., motored here Tuesday, and are guests of the formers aunts, the Misses Emma and Julia Tretton, of East Main St.

Mrs. F. H. Hungsville, Mrs. O. Anderson, daughters Kathryn and Bernice, Mary and Ellen Anderson, were Olean visitors Saturday.

Ray Day was a business visitor Saturday.

Norman Schoth has purchased a Chevrolet touring car from the Anderson and Thomas Garage.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Larson and son Paul, were Mt Jewett visitors last Saturday.

Mary McCarty and Mayme Colegrove were in Olean Wednesday.

A. L. and Lyle Holden of Port Allegany were business visitors Monday.

Mr and Mrs. Wilbur Graham and daughter Mildred were St. Marys visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barnum were in Obi, N. Y., Sunday.

A. A. Boreland of State College was in town on business Tuesday.

Alise Richards who has been in Oklamulgee, Okla. was a visitor in town Monday.

Mr. C. A. Anderson of Colegrove was in town Monday and called at the Miner office.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas Quirk and Dan Bleon motored to Galeton, Pa. Sunday.

Mr. Carl Carlson was in Erie, Pa. on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Kleisath, Mary and Bertha, Walter and Alfred motored to Galeton Sunday.

Mrs. Caroline Okerlund was a Mt. Jewett visitor Tuesday.

Anna Hallstrom left Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson of Ridgway.

Mr. Frank Dieter of Bradford was in town Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Bert Farner and daughter of Hazelhurst were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Lathrop of Crosby is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gallup of Colegrove was in town Tuesday.

Geo. Blaklesly of Eldred spent Sunday with friends here.

Dan Raszmann of Portville was in town Monday.

Mrs. C. B. Dickinson entertained the I. S. W. Club Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Victor Hallstrom entertained the J. H. Club Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green, Lois Green, Grace Brooks and Myrtle Gregson motored to Olean Thursday.

Alice Hearh returned to Buffalo Saturday after spending a couple of weeks with her sister Mate Connelly.

Margaret Fry and Eva Ripley motored to Port Allegany and Eldred Friday.

Ann Cooper has resigned her position at the Standard Electric Company's office.

Mrs. W. A. Ostrander, Miss Lucile Marshall and Mrs. McDwitt were in Shinglehouse and attended the commencement exercises last Friday.

Miss Ingelborg Ottoson, who teaches in the New Salem, Pa., high school has arrived home for the summer vacation, and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ottoson.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Eastman of Jamestown, N. Y., were the guests of the formers brother John B. Eastman and family over Decoration Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Eastman held a family dinner Decoration Day at "Eastman Pines."

Mrs. J. L. Allen and daughter, Edna of Kirksville, Mo., are visiting relatives in Smethport and vicinity.

D. T. Gurlick of Buffalo spent the week-end with his family in Smethport,

Miss Bessie Ottoson, who teaches in the California Normal school, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ottoson of this place.

Mrs. H. H. Redfield entertained a number of ladies Tuesday p. m. at the Redfield farm.

Mrs. S. F. Redfield entertained the Auction Bridge Club Wednesday p. m. at her home on West Main street.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Helen Bouton, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. W. Bouton of this place, and Donald Bovaird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bovaird of Bradford. The wedding will take place June 14th at 6 o'clock at St. Luke's church.

Ernest Smith of Pittsburgh one of the efficient mechanics at the Star Garage at Farmers Valley last summer, arrived here last Friday and will spend a few weeks with his uncle, G. W. Smith and friends at Farmers Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Schoonmaker moved their furniture last week from their former residence on East Street to the bungalow which they bought recently on East State and Clark streets, Olean, N. Y. they spent a few days here last week visiting relatives and friends.

The program for Memorial Day has been postponed from June 11 to June 20.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will observe Flower Mission Day, Saturday, June 9, at the County Home. The program will begin at 2:30 p. m. A covered dish supper will be served at 5 o'clock. Members are urged to be present and invite guests. The usual donation of fruit, flowers jellies, etc., will be made.

Saturday afternoon, the children of the grade schools, together with their teachers and parents, had a most delightful time at the fair grounds. The afternoon was devoted to drills, races and various contests between grades, and at 5 o'clock a delightful picnic supper was served. It was a gala day for the children.

Miss Etoile Freeman was home from Pennsylvania State College to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs E E Heath left Saturday to motor to Washington, D. C. to attend the national convention of Shriners.

Mrs. Harry Weaver has returned to her home in Ilgyis, W. Va., after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Louise Dickerson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kessler, jr. have returned home from a three week's stay at their cottage on Lake Piseco in the Adirondacks.

Raphael Kessler and George Rose of Pennsylvania State College spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kessler, jr.

Mrs. Rose Herzog is expected home from Indiana, Pa., where she has been located the past year.

Born Saturday June 2 to Alford and Iva Holder Bush, a son, William Holder Bush.

Miss Helen Gleason has returned home from Wilmington, N. C., where she has been the guest of her sister Mrs. Leonard Allen.

E. A. Studholme has returned from Hamilton, Canada, where he attended the unveiling of a monument in memory of his father, the late Hon. Allen Studholme, who was for many years a member of the Ontario Parliament.

Mrs. Jas. McKean who recovered recently from a long illness is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. R. E. Burdick is visiting her son, Hamlin Burdick in Milwaukee, Wis.

W. C. Guncheon and family have gone to Rochester, N. Y., where they will make their future residence.

Mrs. Fay Heinlein has returned from Kane where she was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robinson.

Mrs. O. J. Hamlin and daughter Susan, have returned from a visit to Buffalo.

Mrs. Emily McCoy has returned home from West Chester, Pa., where she attends the State Normal school to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. McCoy.

Henry L. Smith, of Crosby, Pa., and Matilda M. Kerr, of Boyer, Pa., were united in marjage at the M. E. parsonage, Monday, June 4. The Rev. Arthur Gregson officiated.

J. Alfred Scollon, of Barnsboro, Pa., and Bernice A. Bigleman of Woodland, Pa., were united in marriage at the M. E. parsonage, on Thursday, May 31, The Rev. Arthur Gregson officiated.

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Miss Vera Freeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Freeman of this place, who teaches in the Scudder Schools in New York city expects to sail the 20th of June for a several months tour of European countries.

Mrs. F. J. Shattuk and daughter Mabel of Linesville, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Backus and family this week.

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LAGNIAPPE

A judge looks best in his robes.

Back to nature involves a lot of hypocrisy.

This life is a circus and Fate is the ringmaster.

Music hath charms, but who invented the hurdy-gurdy?

Let others run the banks if I may teach the children.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Auditor to make distribution of the funds remaining in the hands of the Administrator in the matter of the estate of Thomas J. Young, late of the Borough of Smethport, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, No. 16 December Term, 1923, in the Orphans' Court of McKean County, Pennsylvania, will hold a meeting for that purpose in the Council Council Chamber in the borough Building situate on Bayard Street, in the Borough of Kane, county and State aforesaid, on Friday, June 29th, 1923, at ten o'clock, A. M., when and where all persons interested may appear and be heard if they see fit.

C. W. SHATTUCK, Esq.
Auditor.

Smethport, Pa., June 2nd, 1923.
Adv. 23-3t.

According to Nationality.

Accent apart, there is said to be a tea-table test by which the nationality of a hostess may be determined.

In serving tea the Englishwoman selects one or more lumps of sugar, according to the capacity of the cup.

The Irish hostess hands round the sugar basin so that guests may help themselves.

In Scotland, however, the guid wife fixes her eye on the guest and inquires, sternly: "Are ye sure ye've stirred it?"—Chicago Daily News.

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NO ESCAPE FOR THE SEAL

Once Hooked by Eskimo Hunter, There Is No Way by Which He Can Get Away.

An Eskimo, when once he has gone to the trouble of splicing a fine spear handle, does not wish to break it, so the point is put on with a tangle or joint.

When a seal or walrus is harpooned the sudden struggle of the animal does not break the spear, but merely unjoints the point, and the more the animal struggles the more the point turns crosswise in the wound and the firmer the barbs take hold.

But the animal cannot escape, for with thongs of skin the point is connected with the spear shaft. The animal merely swims away or dives deep into the sea, carrying with him the spear. The long leather thong which is attached to it uncoils from the deck of the kyack and pays out. It carries with it a drag like a kite, which retards the animal and exhausts him, but does not pull hard enough to break the line. Even this drag is made of skin stretched over a spliced framework.

When the thing is all played out it is seen to be attached to a float, which is also carried on the deck of the boat. This is made of an inflated skin. It has plugs and attachments of cleverly carved ivory, for wood is far too precious to be used in this land of ivory so far from the forests.

The float serves as a buoy so that the Eskimo can follow the animal and find it after it gives up its struggle and dies. Then, too, the float keeps the catch from sinking and being lost in the ocean's depths.

MUST BE FREAK OR FOSSIL

Discovery in the Nevada Mountains Has Split the World's Scientists Into Two Camps.

A stone form exactly resembling the leather sole of a shoe, was found in the Nevada mountains. Geologists, paleontologists and other scientific men were astounded with the specimen's similarity to a shoe, but none would accept it as anything but a freak of nature. This strange fossil or freak, was found imbedded in a mass of Triassic rock, which is considered by scientists to be from 100,000,000 to 300,000,000 years old. By those who consider it a freak rather than a fossil it has been pronounced one of the most remarkable natural imitations of an artificial object ever discovered by man.

Microphotographs of the fossil reveal very clearly the holes punched in the sole for stitching, and even the twist of the thread used in the welt is plainly shown. Its warp is brought out in unmistakable prominence. In every respect it duplicates the exact process which takes place in a wornout shoe. These facts would seem to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that it is the fossil of a real shoe, and that it was done by the hand of man. The upshot of the matter leads to one of these two scientific facts: Either man has lived on the earth three or four times as long as has hitherto been supposed, or geologists are badly mistaken in the age of the Triassic rocks in Nevada.

Recent Australian Discoveries.

Recent explorations in the very center of Australia have resulted in the discovery of a hitherto unknown fresh water lake. During the rainy season it has a circumference of 30 miles. The surface was described as "a moving mass of ducks." At Alice springs in the MacDonnell range, where settlements have already been made many miles beyond the terminus of the railway, the climate in July and early August is described as ideal. There are frosts at night and sometimes ice in the morning. Fruits and vegetables are excellent and surprisingly prolific. "The white children of the pioneers in this remote district look like English children, and the adults are pictures of health"—at least in the eyes of Australia's enthusiastic explorers.—Living Age.

Fine Silks and Linens.

The mother country of linen is Egypt, and linen tapestries were embroidered in that land 4,000 years ago. Because it can be bleached to snowy whiteness it was known as the symbol of purity. It was used for sacred vestments and was sometimes so fine and delicate that it was worth twice its weight in gold.

Certain authorities state that the reference made to silk in the Bible is a mistake of the translators, since it does not occur in the original. The cultivation of the silkworm in Europe was known 550 B. C., but the Chinese knew about it centuries before that date, for the making of it was begun by Si-ling, wife of an emperor 2600 B. C.

Rhubarb Valued as Tonic.

Rhubarb, which seems to have no romance, has a history. It was brought into England in 1573 from the Volga, but for two centuries it remained a gardener's curiosity, so that its use as an article of food is of comparatively recent origin. In 1810, when a Deptford market gardener sent a few stalks to London he was unable to find customers for it. However, the use and cultivation of the plant made rapid progress from that time forward. It was brought to this country from England. Rhubarb is valuable not only for its mineral content and its acid, but for its flavor, and is therefore much in favor as a fine spring tonic.

Through the Alleghenies

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KESKHOL CURVE

Insect Radio Carrier.

The modern radio fan is advised to consider the gall midge, a minute fly, and other forms of insect life, by E. Porter Felt, New York state entomologist, who calls attention to the antennae of "feelers," of some insects and radio receiving sets. The loop antennae, such as are used in indoor receiving sets, find almost exact counterpart in the construction of the antennae of the little insects and Doctor Felt suggests that they were designed to catch light vibrations of the air.

These receiving sets from Nature's own laboratory are carried wholly by the male insects, Doctor Felt states, and their probable purpose is to enable them to hear the distinctive love call of the female from great distances. While the male gall midge carries the most complete model of a receiving set that is known in the insect world, the female makes no noise that is audible to human ears.

Carry Shoes on Their Heads.

In Oporto, Portugal, all the porters are women. It is nothing for a sturdy Portuguese woman to lift a 100-pound trunk on her head and carry it for a quarter of a mile without stopping. It is no uncommon sight in Oporto to see a woman walking along the street with a round basket on her head. In the basket, sleeping peacefully, is her baby, soothed by the rhythmical step of its mother.

Many Oporto women become so expert in this art of head-juggling that they can carry a folded umbrella on their heads without the slightest effort. This is very difficult to do, but to the women of Oporto it is more convenient than carrying the umbrella in the hand.

It is amazing to see a woman walking along at a comfortable swinging gait in her bare feet—with her best shoes balanced carefully on the top of her head, without any apparent effort or sign of the oddity of the performance.

Perfection Imperative.

Hamlet Fatt, starring in "Julius Caesar," had been out 40 weeks, and of course every member of the cast was letter perfect. In fact, they could have recited their parts backward. Getting into New York state, however, he called an extra rehearsal. The troupers wondered why, whereupon he explained that he wanted to make a good showing in the next town played. Being pressed for further details, he added: "Our next stand is Rome, and you know that Rome was Julius Caesar's home town."

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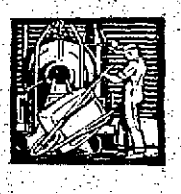

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THE DAIRY

Dairyman, Can You Answer Yes to These Questions?

Do you love the dairy business?

Do you know exactly which cows are making you a labor income?

Do you know each cow's test?

Do you apply your knowledge by sending the boarder cows to the butcher immediately?

Do you know the essentials of feeding the dairy cow?

Do you feed your cows a balanced ration, both as regards the ingredients of the feeds and the cost?

Do you feed regularly?

Do you milk regularly?

Do you exercise care and kind treatment always?

Do you exercise the strictest cleanliness both with the cows and with the utensils?

Do you use a purebred dairy bull?

Do you give your cows adequate shelter?

Do you use adequate bedding?

Do you milk the cows dry and not permit the calves to suck after the first three days?

Do you listen to advice?

Have you a good summer pasture?

Do you like work?

If a man can conscientiously answer "yes" to all of these questions he is not very far wrong on the dairy business.—Harold R. Tascelles, Fieldman, Colorado State Dairy Commission.

KEEP DAIRY UTENSILS CLEAN

Particularly Important That Milk Cans Be Dried and Kept So Until Used Again.

Because bacteria increase in numbers at such an astonishing rate when conditions are favorable, it is necessary not only to kill as many of them as possible in order to keep dairy utensils clean and insure a good product; but utensils must be kept dry, so that the few organisms that are left after sterilization will not multiply greatly. In addition to the proper temperature, it is necessary that moisture be present for these germs to grow, but only a very thin film of water is needed.

It is particularly important that milk cans be thoroughly dried and kept dry until used again. They must also be protected from contamination with dust, dirt and flies. Experiments show that in milk cans which were covered before being dried the number of bacteria increased 700 times in 24 hours. Milk put into cans in which the bacteria have been permitted to multiply to such an extent will sour much sooner than milk put into cans that have been dried before being covered.

To secure rapid drying the cans must be sterilized with steam or boiling water. If the sterilizer is used, the cans may be left in it until time for them to be used again, but there must be some means of ventilation to carry off the moisture. Cans may be set on a rack to dry, but they should be protected from flies and dust, preferably in a well-screened milk house.

FEED SUCCULENCE TO COWS

Corn Silage, Mangel Wurzel or Root Chops Are of Much Importance to Dairyman.

Feed all roughage, such as alfalfa, clover or other hay, fodder and corn silage that the cow will eat up clean. Too much stress cannot be laid on the importance of having part of the roughage of a succulent nature, as corn silage, mangel wurzel or root chops. Generally a dairy cow will eat daily a little more than three pounds of silage and about one pound of hay, or its equivalent. In addition to silage, for every 100 pounds of live weight. At present prices the dairyman cannot afford not to feed grain. The cow should be fed about one pound of grain mixture daily for every three and one half pounds of milk she gives.

SHOULD USE PUREBRED BULL

Profitable Dairying Depends on Superior Breeding, Good Feed and Weeding Out Scrubs.

Farmers and dairymen cannot continue to use scrub or grade bulls, says A. C. Baer, professor of dairy husbandry at the Oklahoma A. and M. college. Profitable dairying depends on (1) good breeding; (2) weeding out poor cows; (3) good feeding.

A purebred bull will improve all dairy herds which are not now headed by a purebred male, Mr. Baer says. Farmers or dairymen can very often club together and buy a bull which costs more than an ordinary purebred male. Whenever possible, a herd bull should be from a tested dam with a good record.

THOROUGHLY WASH ALL PAILS

Use Brushes and Good Powder on All Utensils—Carefully Avoid All Dishrags.

Thoroughly wash and scald after each use all milk pails, strainers, cans and separators, also milking machine if one is used. Use brushes and a good washing powder. Use no dishrag. Discard the cloth strainer for the wire one, unless it is washed and boiled each day.

DAIRY

DAIRY COWS NEED MINERALS

Lime and Phosphorus Particularly Required, According to Ohio Station Tests.

That milk cows need more minerals, particularly lime and phosphorus, than is commonly found in their feed, is the finding of recent feeding tests at the Ohio experiment station.

The best feeds to supply these elements are clover hay, alfalfa hay, soy bean hay and wheat bran. If plenty of one or more of these is not given in the daily feed, it will be wise to add about one pound of fine ground limestone and two pounds of specially prepared bone meal to each 100 pounds of grain mixture.

An increased flow of milk may not be noted at once, but the good effects are in the prevention of future decrease in milk production. The minerals may make their best showing in the following year.

The two elements most likely to be lacking are calcium and phosphorus. Limestone carries calcium, and bone meal carries both calcium and phosphorus. When these are combined in the feed while the cow is dry, it is found that she will store enough to increase production still further during her next milking season.

SUPPLY COWS MORE PROTEIN

Bran, Linseed Oilmeal and Cottonseed Meal Will Furnish Necessary Ingredients.

Home-grown feeds for dairy cows, unless there is an abundance of clover, alfalfa or soybean hay, do not carry enough protein to produce milk most economically, according to dairy authorities at the Ohio experiment station.

The addition of such feeds as bran, linseed oilmeal and cottonseed meal to the ration will supply the necessary protein and assist in the digestion of the home-grown feeds.

When no legume hay is available and such feeds as silage, mixed hay, clover, ground corn and ground oats are fed, no cow should have less, and heavy-producing cows should have more, than 3½ pounds of linseed oilmeal daily.

Instead of linseed meal one of the following equivalents may be fed: Cottonseed meal 2 pounds and bran 2 pounds, wheat bran 4 pounds and gluten feed 2 pounds, wheat bran 3 pounds and oilmeal 2 pounds, oilmeal 1 pound, cottonseed meal 1 pound and bran 3 pounds, or distillers' grain 3 pounds and oilmeal 1 pound. Where a good legume hay is fed at least half the above amount of protein concentrate should be fed.

NO INDEMNITY PAID SCRUBS

Revised Regulations Disallow Compensation for Tuberculous Steers and Grade Bulls.

Under revised regulations, effective March 1, governing the appraisement of tuberculous animals and federal expenditures by the United States Department of Agriculture in the eradication of tuberculosis, no federal indemnity will be paid for scrub bulls. Section 9, which provides that "no compensation will be paid for tuberculous steers or unregistered bulls," places scrub and grade bulls in the same class with meat animals for which the salvage obtainable by the owner depends largely on their condition and market value.

This new provision reflects the attitude of the United States Department of Agriculture that scrub and grade bulls are undesirable for breeding purposes, and that they are not entitled to be classed as breeding stock. In the case of purebred bulls, for which federal indemnity is paid under the provisions of the regulations, description of animal together with registry number must be supplied to the appraising officer.

SATISFACTORY HAY FOR CALF

Montana Station Finds Mixture of Grasses and Legumes Best for Young Animal.

The most satisfactory hay for young calves is a mixture of grasses and legumes, the Montana experiment station finds. Alfalfa hay is too laxative for calves under three months old that are fed skim milk or whey. Cereal and millet hays are not satisfactory. Feed more hay at all times than the calves will consume so they can pick out the leaves and finer portions. Dry stock and bulls can clean up the coarse hay which is left. After three months, silage may be used in small amounts.

Roughage for Cow.

A cow may be fed enough nutrients in the form of grain to perform her work, but in that case the bulk of her feed would be too small to satisfy her. The better way is to allow the cow all the roughage she will clean up.

Sign of Milk Production.

Milk veins, size and condition of udder, shape and size of barrel, and the general appearance of a cow are points of confirmation having a distinctly significant relation to milk production.

HONEY

The honey crop of the United States approximates 250,000,000 pounds.

There is a large proportion of food value in honey and it should be considered as staple an article of food as butter.

Honey is not a luxury—or should not be so. It is one of the necessary foodstuffs and should be generally used.

Honey equalizes butter in nutritive value; it is cheaper, reaches farther, and will keep indefinitely without deterioration.

In his excavations in Egypt the American explorer, J. M. Davis, discovered a jar of honey, still liquid and still preserving its characteristic scent after 3,300 years.

Honey can be given to children to satisfy their natural craving for sweets without fear of harmful effects, and can be used in many ways as a substitute for sugar.

Honey is a mild laxative and in baby diseases, where all food is prohibited for a time, a little honey added to the water makes the water more easily retained. Honey also is a remedy for fall and winter colds.

FISH TALES

Scientists estimate there are 10,000 species of fish.

The male fur seal has a harem of from 30 to 100 females.

Fish lie with their heads upstream when resting at the bottom.

More varieties of fish are found in the Nile than in any other stream.

A female lobster has been known to lay as many as 100,000 eggs at one time.

Fish have cold blood, that is, blood taking the temperature of the surrounding water.

The devil fish varies in length from one inch to fifty feet, but very few of the longest specimens have been found.

Whether bass are food fish or game fish is a disputed question. In many sections of the country the bass is both a commercial food fish and a game fish.

Goldfish are the result of the elimination of the somber colors in a variety of carp by selective breeding begun by the Chinese and Japanese in the Sixteenth century.

WHAT THEY MEAN

Musical burglary—breaking into song.

Mental hospitality—entertaining an idea.

Spiritual parasites—parasites on one's virtues.

Moral harvesting—reaping one's reward.

Social cannibalism—living on one's friends.

Undesirable generosity—giving yourself away.

Philosophical etiquette—bowing to the inevitable.—Boston Transcript.

ODD BITS

The Yakima Indians still thrash their wheat with a band of ponies.

The Polish people never swear in their own language, but always in Russian.

King is the most ancient of titles. It, or its equivalent, is found in every known language.

When the sparrowhawk is swooping down on its prey it cleaves space at the speed of 150 miles an hour.

GEOGRAPHY LESSON

The foundation stone for the first Moslem mosque to be built in France has just been laid in Paris with elaborate and impressive ceremony.

The kingdom of Nepal, that lies at the foot of Mount Everest, is unknown to the world except by the reports of natives.

Thirty-four days are occupied in a voyage from New York city, via London, to Batavia, Java, a distance of 12,600 miles.

A hundred years ago the Nimrod Islands were sighted by whalers in the southern Pacific, but no one has ever seen them since.

Icebergs attain to much larger dimensions in the southern hemisphere than in the northern. A berg 82 miles long was encountered in the year 1893.

Bombay, via the Suez canal, is 8,320 miles from New York and 9,536 miles from New Orleans; via Cape of Good Hope it is 11,250 from New York, and via the Magellan strait it is 15,004 miles from San Francisco.

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THE RIGHT THING at the RIGHT TIME

By MARY MARSHALL DUFFEE

BACK TO THE WALTZ

When you dance, I wish you
A wave o' the sea, that you might ever do
Nothing but that.
—Shakespeare.

"NO EVENT ever produced so great a sensation," wrote Thomas Raikes in his "Personal Recollections," "as the introduction of the German waltz. Old and young returned to school, and the mornings were now absorbed at home in whirling a chair around the room to learn the step and measure of the German waltz. The anti-waltzing party took alarm, cried it down; mothers forbade it, and every ballroom became a scene of feud and contention."

Such was the attitude toward the new dance when it was new some hundred and twenty-five years ago. True the waltz is not so much of a favorite at a popular dance as is the one-step or fox trot, but you will find that those who are able to dance it well really prefer it to the other dances.

Of course we do regard it as a rather tame affair after all the other modern dances, but the time was once, as Thomas Raikes suggests, when it was regarded as quite as shocking as we regarded any of the new-fangled trots when they came out. In fact, Goethe makes Werner say that if he were married his wife should waltz with no one but himself. And there were rather old-fashioned folk a generation ago who, though they would two-step and polka with others after they were engaged, would waltz only with the one to whom they were betrothed. Now we have no such sentimental notions. We prefer usually to dance with the persons with whom we are best able to go through the steps. Lads dance with their own grandmothers and are glad enough to do so if those grandmothers dance well.

Has Anyone Laughed At You Because —

By ETHEL R. PEYSER

You pack your trunk at the last minute?

Why not? You haven't asked anyone else to pack it for you. You value your vacations, you enjoy them so much you don't want to infuse them with work. If you are on a business trip you want no interruptions either. You know the folks who begin to pack a week before they leave. They never can do anything you ask them to do because "I must pack." "I must throw those things in my hat trunk, etc., etc." You on the contrary, pack when there is nothing else to do but pack. You save time and pack when you have to only and don't spoil your days with it.

SO

Your get-away here is: You never let business interfere with pleasure.

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FAMOUS STRIKES

A striking face.

Casey's third strike.

Stage struck maids.

Moonstruck swains.

Rolling pin activity.

Prohibition agents strike.

The alarm clock in the morning.

The last match at a poker game.

"Strike while the iron is feverish."

FACTS AND FIGURES

New York state has the largest population, 10,385,227; and Wyoming the least, 194,402.

In area, Texas, 265,896 square miles, is the largest State, and Rhode Island, 1,248 square miles, the smallest.

The total fire loss for the country in 1921 is shown by the statement to have been $495,400,000. This is about $4.54 per capita.

Ninety per cent of the storms which traverse the United States leave this continent in the vicinity of New England or Nova Scotia.

Out of 476,000 tons of shipping launched by the world in the quarter ended September 30, last, 307,500 tons were built in the United Kingdom.

Veterans of the Spanish-American war, now drawing pensions from the government, number 45,955. There are 9,198 widows of Spanish war veterans.

BEAUTY HINTS

Handsome is that handsome does.—Goldsmith.

Cheerfulness and content are great beautifiers and are famous preservers of youthful looks.—Dickens.

There is no beautifier of complexion, or form, or behavior, like the wish to scatter joy and not pain around us.—Emerson.

"BE BRIEF"

Accent is the soul of speech.—Rousseau.

Brevity is the soul of wit.—Shakespeare.

Dispatch is the soul of business.—Chesterfield.

A sunny disposition is the very soul of success.—Matthews.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

Light is the shadow of God.—Plato.

The purpose firm is equal to the deed.—Young.

Light is the task where many share the toil.—Homer.

There are heroes in evil as well as in good.—Rochefoucauld.

Don't despair of a student if he has one clear idea.—Emmons.

Gold is the fool's curtain which hides all his defects from the world.—Feltham.

He who says there is no such thing as an honest man, is himself a knave.—Berkeley.

See how he sets his countenance for deceit, and promises to lie before he speaks.—Dryden.

A man cannot leave a better legacy to the world than a well-educated family.—Thomas Scott.

How much lies in laughter, the cipher key wherewith we decipher the whole man?—Carlyle.

CRIMINAL COURT OPENED MONDAY, MANY CASES DISPOSED OF.

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the little girl's uncle. When his case was called today, his attorneys introduced no defense except to challenge the testimony of the child who is not considered a legally competent witness because of her age. The girl's mother Mrs. Esther C. Miller, was placed on the witness stand and testified that Ruth is only five years old. The court made another attempt to continue the trial by subjecting the child to a competency examination but she failed to stand the test under the grueling examination of attorneys for the defense.

In dismissing the case Judge Joseph W. Bouton remarked as to the unhappy circumstances which made it posible for the prisoner to escape justice and ordered Kendall to get out of the country. The judge added that had it been his daughter implicated in the case Kendall "would not be alive today to beat justice."

Later—

For refusing to heed the advice of the court in "getting out of the county and getting quick" Harry Kendall, who Tuesday escaped trial for a criminal assault on a five year old girl because the girl was held incompetent to testify against him, is back inside looking out.

He was arrested yesterday afternoon when a resident of East Bradford, who had read of the court's advice in dismissing Kendall in the papers notified the police that instead of leaving the county, Kendall was sitting in front of an East End garage. Officers were sent after him and he was locked up on an open charge to await advice from Smethport. —Era, June 7.

Frealyn Stark today was freed of a charge of involuntary manslaughter when the grand jury found not a true bill against him. Stark was under indictment for the killing of little Phyllis Nicholson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Nichols of Bradford, in an automobile accident at Center and school streets, Bradford, last July.

Not a true bill also was returned against Tony Gero of Bradford charging with assault and battery with intent to murder, aggravated assault and simple assault. Gero is in jail in Little Valley, N. Y., awaiting trial on charges of robbery.

John Guan, aged 16, entered a plea of nollo contendere to an indictment of wounding a human being while hunting game. He was given a suspended sentence and was directed to pay the costs of prosecution.

Ray Vining of South avenue, Bradford, was acquitted of assault and battery by a jury. He was tried for assaulting his wife.

Mike Novosel, arrested in raids in McKean backwoods about two weeks ago on charges of manufacturing liquor, was sentenced to six months in the county jail, besides paying a fine of $500 and the costs of prosecution. As Novosel's house is on the line dividing McKean from Elk county, the question of jurisdiction was raised by his attorneys, Shatruck of Smethport and Driscoll of St. Mary's. As the still found by the raiding party was located within 50 yards of the county line, the court held that this county had jurisdiction. When the commonwealth rested its case at the conclusion of testimony, Novosel pleaded guilty.

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A plate glass show case near the south window of Bradners, was demolished about 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon when the auto of G. L. Boss, of Garden avenue, mounted the curb and crashed into it.

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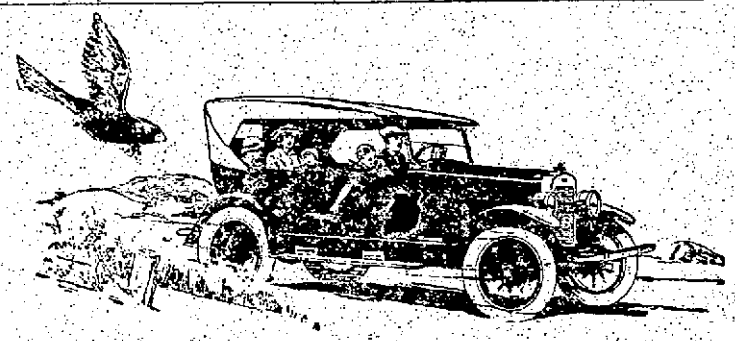

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